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6 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**  
7 **DISTRICT OF NEVADA**  
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9 GEORGE VONTRESS,

10 Plaintiff,

11 vs.

12 PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEVADA,

13 Defendants.  
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Case No. 2:12-CV-01096-GMN-(GWF)

**ORDER**

15 Plaintiff has submitted a petition for writ of certiorari from a decision of the Nevada  
16 Supreme Court. Two problems exist. First, plaintiff has neither paid the filing fee nor submitted an  
17 application to proceed in forma pauperis. Second, this court lacks jurisdiction to consider an appeal  
18 from a judgment of a state court. District of Columbia Court of Appeals v. Feldman, 460 U.S. 462,  
19 476, 483 n.16 (1983); Rooker v. Fidelity Trust Co., 263 U.S. 413, 415-16 (1923).

20 IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that this action is **DISMISSED** without prejudice for lack  
21 of jurisdiction. The clerk of the court shall enter judgment accordingly.

22 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that any appeal is not taken in good faith.

23 DATED this 26th day of July, 2012.  
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Gloria M. Navarro  
United States District Judge  
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